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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

APPLICANTS : James Tobin  
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FOR : METHOD COMPRISING THE USE OF HUMAN INTERLEUKIN-11 RECEPTOR PROTEINS

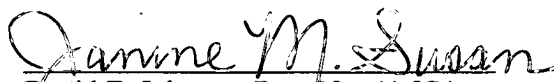
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**PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicant hereby petitions for a three-month extension of time in the above-identified application. A check in the amount of \$1,020.00, in payment of the fee required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(3), is enclosed herewith.

Please charge any additional fees that may be due, or credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 50-0311, Reference No. 22058-516 DIVCON. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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